eronauts Are Aroused by Increasing Number of Fatal Accidents.

MEETING IN PARIS

French Candidates Will Be Subjected to Very Severe Tests.

Paris, October 19.—The serious question of the security of aeroplanes has been raised by the great number of fatal accidents to airmen, and is to be discussed at length at a special session of the Permanent International Aeronautical Commission during the aviation salon on November 4, 5 and 6. Several important communications are then to be made by military and civil experts of various countries.

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A novel feature of the salon, which epens on October 28, will be the excition of a large number of military and naval aircraft constructed by public subscription. The military machines are to be guarded by aeronautical sappers, and the naval hydroaeroplanes by bluejackets.

A number of "aviettes," which is the technical name for machines or planes propelled by human power only, will be exhibited in a special section of the salon.

the salon

The 100 candidates for France's flying corps are to be subjected to very
severe tests at the physical examination ordered by the Ministry of War.
Amons the requirements are pertect
vision normal color sense, sharp hearing and abstate soundness of the
organs of respiration and circulation.
It is specified particularly that no men
who have to wear spectacles shall do
any flying, a rule made the more interesting because some of the world's
most notable airmen, past and present,
wore or now wear glasses.

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fly at the government aeridromes. The 100 candidates for France's fly-

The candidates are now learning to fly at the government aerodromes, some of them as pilots of dirigible balloons, but the majority as individual aeroplane pilots. The test is to be more severe for operators of aeroplanes than for balloon aeronauts.

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Heavy Damage by Rats.

Forty million dollars yearly is the estimated figure of the damage done by rats to crops and property in France. The publication of these statistics by the Incorporated Society for the Destruction of Vermin has given an impetus to the campaign for the extermination of the rodent which is also known to be a transmitter of discass.

The example set by several American cities has been followed with great interest in France and has led Dr. Fontenelle to make a special study of the subject. He finds that the role of the rat and teh mouse has been very serious in connection with cases of pneumonia. For a long time it has been noticed that this discuss that of pneumonia. For a long time it has been noticed that this disease was more deadly in hospitals than other places. The pneumonia microbe becomes extremely virulent in the blood of a mouse and if a sick person comes in contact with a mouse microbe he will be a specific product. in contact with a mouse microbe he will be gravely attacked by the dis-

Dr. Fontenelle says that the hospitals of Paris, especially the old ones, are alive with rodents. The pneu-monia microbe exists. Therefore, in conditions calculated to increase its viruience and its musderous powers of destruction. He urges the necessity of an immediate and relentless ex-termination of rodents in every hospital establishment in France or in any other country where the rat or mouse may be found. The depredations of the rat in France

en property are enormous. It is reck-oned that for a farm of fifty hectares f wheat and pasture lands the losse or wheat and pasture lands in losses caused by rats reach an annual mini-mum of \$200. The destruction by rats throughout France amounts yearly to about .-\$1 To each inhabitant. Dr. shout -61 to each inhabitant. Dr. Fontenelle says: "This is too high a tax to pay to the rat tribe and the ever-present danger from the rodents propagation of maladies like the plague and pneumonia shows the wisdom of carrying on a determined war of extermination."

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servants.

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leave, stating that he had only a half an hour to spare, Djavid Bey said: "I shall a company you."

The prison doors opened without the slightest difficulty, and half an hour later the sex-minister bade his guest farewell, saying that it was too cold to stay out late and that he was going theme?"

MacFarland and Author of "Bunny" Letters Change Their Minds.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] New York, October 13.—Allison M. MacFarland, who on Friday was ac-quitted of the murder of his wife by an Besex County, N. J. jury, an-nounced to-day in Newark that he would not marry Miss Florence Bromley, the Philadelphia girl who wrote "Bunny" letters that figured in

Consorts in Prison, tusing narrative of the computation of the second trial Friday, MacFarland prison, lie in Constantinople and Miss Bromley hurried to the bursau in Newark to secure a license and the value of the constantinople of the const the told by a French correspondent. Having applied in vain for permission to visit the imprisoned Djavid Bey, ex-Minister of Finance, the correspondent went to the prison and boldly asked to see the distinguished prisoner. To his surprise he was understook, was ushered into a magnificently furnished room, where the governor and several attendants were occupied receiving the prisoner's guesta A large table in the centre of the room groaned under the weight of caker and Oriental sweetmeats, while coffee was being handed round by uniformed servants.

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tepts to Shield Upper Classman.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Annapolis, Md., October 18.—By order of the Secretary of the Navy, a court-martial convened here to-day Don't Be Fussy order of the Secretary of the Navy, a for the purpose of trying charges of hazing against Midshipman Walter J. Tigan, of Illinois, a member of the third class. The authorities are withholding the details of the affair, but it is known that Tigan and a classmate are charged with making R. S.

lowing Typhoon Which

miral Nicholson, commander-in-chief of the Asiatic squadron, reported to the Navy Department to-day that he had sent the cruiser Cincianati to Cebs to sid in the rescue work following the Pape's Diapepsin is noted for its speed in regulating upser stomachs. It is the surest, quickest and most certain remedy in the whole world, and besides it is harmless. Millions of men and women now eat their foods without fear—they now now it is needless to have a had stomach.—Advertisement.

It is the sund two mides. They will make an automate the surface of the artent of the loss of life and property and report what measures are needed. The Cincinnost will also keep in touch with Manila by wireless, thus affording the only means of communication.

Alleged Victim Apparently At-

Sweeps Island.

Washington, October 18-Ross

Estent Not Resem.

Manila, October 16.—Until reports are received from the oruleers Saratoga and Cincinnati, dispatched to relieve typhoon sufferers on the Islands of Surigao, Lavie, Bohol, Cebu, Negroes, ranana and Cacloban, it will be impossible accurately to estimate the entent of the disaster, government officials here said to-night. It was feared the death, list might run into the thousands. Six hundred was the latest figure given on the strength of actual

## WIFE OF ACCUSED OFFICER



(Continued From First Page.) latter a gambler, to-day testified that they had heard Rose and Webber make threats to kill Rosenthal. Mr. McIntyre and his associates were elated over the testimony offered for their elient to-day, but none of these witnesses escaped unscathed under the rapid fire of cross-examination.

on Monday the defense will again take up its task of proving that the informers themselves killed Rosenthal. Mr. McIntyre declines to say whether Lieutenant Becker will be permitted to take the stand in his own behalf or as to whether or not Mrs. Becker will be called. The belief of lawyers who have followed the Mrs. Becker will be called. The be-list of lawyers who have followed the case is that neither will testify, since Becker's appearance as a witness would give the district attorney his chance to get in the graft evidence and the savings bank accounts. That

# About Eating

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mate are charged with making R. S. Berkey, a fourth classman from Indiana, stand on his head a number of stimes, and it is also understood that the witness of the affair, besides Berkey, is one of the officers of the discipline department who stumbled into the room of the upper classmen while the performance was going on.

It is understood that Berkey did not make a very satisfactory witness to-day but appeared to try to protect the upper classmen as far as possible. It is clear that the authorities regard the case as a proper one for dismissal.

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Goes to Jury This Week.

The case will go to the jury next week. This was made certain to-day when Attorney John F. McIntyre, for the defense, managed to get before the jury the extraordinary stipulation entered into by District Attorney Whitmen with the guaratet of samplers who man with the quartet of gamplers who are the keystone of the State's case.

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The case against Becker may stand or fail on this document, entered into by the chief county prosecutor, with the full knowledge and approval of Judge Mulqueen, of the General Sessions Court. McIntyre, although trying to discredit the four gamblers as much as possible by the evidence of witnesses who assail certain portions of the remarkebly startling story they of the remarkably startling story they told on the stand, expects to use the stipulation as the chief note of his summing-up speech to the jury. He admitted to-night that he will argue stipulation as the same stipulations aumming-up speech to the jury. He admitted to-night that he will argue to the jury that these stipulations—there are four, one for each witness, Schepps, Rose, Webber and Vallon—prove the motive that actuated the story told on the stand. He will argue, he said, that in view of the promised immunity and that they would be permitted to walk the streets free men as soon as the present case ends, no matter what evidence of crime in which they were participants is revealed by the disclosures of the present trial, the quartet had to make their story stand up, and this is the reason why each tale of graft and murder dovetailed as closely with the others as it did.

District Attorney Whitman admitted that he expected McIntyre would make this use of the stipulations, but said that he would show the jury that he had to enter into this agreement in order to make his case stand proof. And he intimated that he would handle without gloves the story told by Reporter Hawley and by the police witnesses who testified to-day, when he reaches the order of rebuttal and summing up.

To-day's session of the trial was cut short in order that the jury might register so that the members can vote on election day. In a big sight-seeing auto they were taken to their various polling places under guard of court officers.

Most of to-day's session proved

unto they were taken of court polling places under guard of court officers.

Most of to-day's session proved proflable for the defense. After getting the stipulations before the jury McIntyre also forced Whitman to submit Rose's original confession which differed in several parts from the tale he so gibby related on the stand.

McIntyre said to-day that he could close on Monday, and Whitman said he could get all of his rebuttal in in one day. McIntyre will ask for two days in which to sum up, but it is not likely Justice Goff wifi give each side more than half a day, and it seemed wore than half a day, and it seemed certain to-night that the case would the case can be not the case of the case of

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